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Congress of the United States House of Representatives

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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for City of Dania Beach Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Dania Beach, located at 116 W. Dania Beach Blvd., Dania Beach, Florida, 33004.

The funding would be used to construct a new Emergency Operations Center (EOC) for the City of Dania Beach, which has a rapidly growing population and requires a dedicated facility to allow emergency responders to support city residents in the event of natural disasters or other emergency situations. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will allow local authorities to work in concert with state and federal emergency management entities if an emergency takes place. The EOC will also house city information and communications infrastructure as well as providing additional space for public safety employees. This project would enhance the efficacy of area emergency operations for the benefit of residents and ensure that the City can respond to situations without delay.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 614 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5196c) as amended by section 202 of the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Debbie Wasserman Schultz Member of Congress